

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI
EASTERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
)
Plaintiff,)
)
v.) No. S1-4:16 CR 163 RWS
)
OSCAR HENRY STEINMETZ,)
)
Defendant.)

**GOVERNMENT'S NOTICE OF INTENT TO USE A BIRTH CERTIFICATE AND
JUDGMENT OF DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE**

COMES NOW the United States of America, by and through its attorneys, Carrie Costantin, Acting United States Attorney for the Eastern District of Missouri, and Robert F. Livergood, Assistant United States Attorneys for said District, and files its Notice of Intent to Use a Birth Certificate and Judgment of Dissolution of Marriage. In support thereof, the Government asserts:

The Government intends to introduce the birth certificate of the alleged victim and defendant's judgment of dissolution. The Government has previously provided defense counsel with a redacted copy of the birth certificate (Steinmetz_00387 - Steinmetz_00388), and the judgment (Steinmetz_00348 - Steinmetz_00362).

Rule 902(4) of the Federal Rules of Evidence provides that the following is self-authenticating and does not require extrinsic evidence of authenticity to be admitted:

A copy of an official record—or a copy of a document that was recorded or filed in a public office as authorized by law—if the copy is certified as correct by (A) the custodian or another person authorized to make the certification; or (b) a certificate that complies with Rule 902(1), (2), or (3), a federal statute, or a rule prescribed by the Supreme Court.

The birth certificate will be used to establish that the victim was a minor at the time the photographs of her were taken. The judgment will be used to establish when the defendant and the victim's mother married, and when they separated.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on March 28, 2017, the foregoing was filed electronically with the Clerk of the Court to be served by operation of the Court's electronic filing system upon the following:

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